

at Mayhill has been set for Sunday, April 16. As in past years, it is presumed a number of Artesia citizens will visit the camp on that day.

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TELEPHONE 7

A BIG MAN FOR A BIG JOB

The Las Cruces Sun-News comments editorially that Governor John E. Miles during his brief time as chief executive of New Mexico has not made a single blunder, that he handled the Legislature with much skill and intelligence.

At least he picks big men for big jobs—well, one job of which we know, that of the newly-created post of safety director for New Mexico. Ingram B. Pickett is his name and he is probably the biggest man in the state. He modestly claims about six feet eleven inches, but we have known him for years and always thought him to be a little taller.

Imagine our surprise the other day when the office suddenly darkened because of a big form squeezing through the door. If this were back in Missouri, we thought, that would be Ingram Pickett of Shelbyville, just a few miles from our old town.

And imagine both our surprises when we greeted each other after a number of years, each thinking the other still resided somewhere in the Middle-West. He has been in New Mexico two and a half years.

When Pickett explained his new job, we were impressed with the fact that Governor Miles had picked a big man for a big job, that of being a hazard detective and recommending ways and means to make New Mexico safer for traveling, a really splendid idea.

Pickett, the people will find, is a big man in more ways than one. He already has formulated a program, which, if carried out, will decrease the road hazards in New Mexico. This in turn will bring in more tourist trade and everyone will profit thereby. In other words, Pickett's salary should cost the state nothing.

As to the program being carried out, we are satisfied that it will be, so long as Pickett is given ways and means to do so and is allowed to work it out.

Already he has on his program correction of the dangerous combined S-curve and dip at the west edge of Artesia on the Hope road, about which we spoke several weeks ago. And he has asked, as did Governor Miles several weeks ago, that any and all hazardous places for travel be called to his attention.

We will pass on to him in this column any which are mentioned to us and we deem worthy of official notice. And he has promised to watch this column closely!

Pickett is not going to stop there. He intends to ask every truck driver in the state to list for him what the driver thinks are the twelve worst hazards on the routes traveled. When six reports are received for the same hazard, action will follow.

One might ask why Pickett must wait for six reports on a single bad place; why action isn't taken the minute a place is brought to his attention. Obviously there will be too many to attack at once. It will take time to correct all, and only the most noticed can be attended to at first.

We have always been an advocate for safety, as indicated a number of times here, and believe Governor Miles is on the right track. At least he's picked a big man for the job.

HIDE THE JUNK, AN ORDINANCE ORDERS

While driving through Carlsbad the other day we noticed an unsightly junk yard in which reposed the carcasses of many defunct automobiles, which reminded us to mention that a bit of carelessness along that line has been shown in Artesia, albeit there is an ordinance which provides that such yards be fenced off, so as not to mar the general aspect of the city either to local citizens or visitors.

Our suggestion is that the ordinance be obeyed, or else the city might have to take action, with the unpleasant publicity attendant thereto—herefrom. (We couldn't resist that last word.)

DON'T BURN TRASH IN ARTESIA

It seems to us we have mentioned this several times before, but some Artesia citizens—including some of the best—insist on burning trash on their premises.

This is contrary to a city ordinance! The garbage collectors are to cart off not only garbage, but trash as well, to be burned on the acreage provided for that purpose northeast of town.

Thus is the danger from fires minimized. But some folks will take chances, even in this dry and windy country.

IT DOES PAY TO ADVERTISE

An Artesia man, who believes in advertising and advertises in The Advocate regularly, admitted the other day that he had missed some sales just because he failed to tell the public he was carrying a certain item.

The fact was brought home when a customer told him, "I didn't know you handled so-and-so."

Although the item is identified with the particular business our friend conducts, his customer went elsewhere for it. The lost profit would have paid for an advertisement, and probably more sales would have been made, had the public been told about it.

Many merchants do not stop to realize that advertisements are news—news of what is what and where, and they lose because they do not consistently use advertising columns.

But we are glad to say this merchant does realize, always has, and was willing to admit where he slipped up.

THE HEIGHT OF ABSURDITY

If one wished to put his finger on the most ridiculous dispute in the world it would be one between Australia and the United States for 80,000 square miles of ice and snow in Antarctica explored in an airplane by Lincoln Ellsworth. Though there are ice and snow aplenty in that vast frozen continent Australia has set her heart on this particular section claimed by Ellsworth. But there is no fear of the affair leading up to another "Munich."—Los Angeles Times.

Michigan has released a prisoner unjustly convicted of murder 19 years ago. It takes a long time to get out if you aren't a real criminal.—Buffalo Evening News.

CHURCHES

ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH

504 North Ninth Street

Priest in charge, Rev. Gerald Biwer.

Time of Sunday Masses:
8 a. m. for American speaking people.
9:30 a. m. for Spanish-American people.

Instructions

Saturday, 10 a. m., for the school children.

Saturday, 2:30 p. m., for the Daughters of Mary.

Confessions are heard Saturday at 7:30 p. m. and Sundays before the Masses.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Fifth and Quay

Rev. E. L. Askins, Pastor, 708 West Missouri Street, phone 356.

B. G. Sanders, Sunday school superintendent.

Mrs. E. A. Paton, W. F. M. S. president.

Miss Berthold Alcorn, N. Y. P. S. president.

Miss Eleanor Clark, church secretary and treasurer.

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.

Sermon, 11 a. m.

N. Y. P. S., 6:45 p. m.

Sermon, 7:30 p. m.

Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30.

W. F. M. S. meets every first and third Thursday.

A spiritual church in a friendly community. We welcome you to come and worship with us.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Corner Grand and Roselawn

9:45 a. m., Bible school.

10:50 a. m., morning worship.

6:30 p. m., Baptist training service.

7:30 p. m., evening worship.

Wednesday, 7 p. m., prayer service.

Wednesday, 7:45 p. m., teachers' meeting, Bible study and prayer meeting.

Thursday, 2:30 p. m., W. M. S. Third Thursday in each month.

7:30 p. m., Brotherhood meeting.

S. M. Morgan, Pastor

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Seventh and Grand

Sunday

Bible school, 10 a. m.

Morning sermon, 11 a. m.

Lord's supper, 11:50 a. m.

Training school, 6:45 p. m.

Evening sermon, 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday

Ladies' Bible class, 9:30 a. m.

Mid-week meeting, 7:30 p. m.

Allen E. Johnson, Minister

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Fourth at Grand

Church school, 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship, 11 a. m.

Vesper service, 5 p. m.

Christian Endeavor, 6 p. m.

To our visiting friends we extend a most cordial welcome. We are always delighted to have you worship with us.

At our vesper service we emphasize quiet organ music, choral and congregational singing and a brief vesper talk by the pastor.

Henry S. Stout, Minister

SAINT PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Evening service at 7:30 p. m. every Sunday except the first Sunday in each month.

Church school every Sunday at 5 p. m.

The Rev. F. B. Howden, Jr., Rector.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

"Unreality" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all societies and churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, April 2.

The Golden Text is: "Remove far from me vanity and lies; give me neither poverty nor riches; feed me with food convenient for me."—(Prov. 30:8.)

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "We are of God; he that knoweth God heareth us; he that is not of God heareth not us. Hereby know we the spirit of truth, and the spirit of error."—(1 John 4:6.)

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook: "Disbelief in error destroys error, and leads to the discernment of Truth."

METHODIST HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Holy week will be observed at the First Methodist Church beginning Sunday morning, April 2, with the Holy communion. The sermon topics for the Holy week services will be:

Sunday, 11 a. m., "The Triumphal Entry."

Sunday, 7:30 p. m., "A Prominent Young Man's Decision."

Tuesday, 2:30 p. m., "A Study of the Last Week."

Tuesday, 7:30 p. m., "Can One be a Christian, Secretly?"

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., "The In-

Dishpan Meditations

By Your Country Cousin

Ain't no sense in fannin' a flame unless you want the fire to burn!

It's a good idea to put your prettiest plantin's where you can see 'em easy from your kitchen sink. You just can't be grouchy washin' dishes if you smell honey-suckle er see noddin' doffodils!

This here criticism has little value. Most generally the ones that are fitted to criticize are the ones that's got enough sense to keep their mouth shut.

Shoo your pet "booger" out in the open and look him in the eye! May not be half as big or ugly as your overworked imagination's got him pictured.

This neck of the woods has sure been helped by th' "Kidnap Breakfasts" the ladies have been havin'. Tain't only the money they took in for the new blackboards but you ought to see the difference in the early-mornin' looks of the women-folks!

Ain't we just like the old-timers 'way back there? Simply can't stick to what we know blamed well is good for us to eat. Prefer th' "fleshpots."

When I see a young thing pickin' in flaws I know that chicken is about to develop into the old hen that lays the eggs of suspicion and discontent.

"Daught" can't make up her mind if she is flattered or insulted gettin' so much perfume on her birthday. You see, right lately, she's taken to readin' all the glamour ads!

You hear a lot of folks 'round here howlin' 'cause they ain't gettin' their "just desserts." Goah, for my part, I'm glad we ain't!

LINCOLN'S FAILURES

When Abraham Lincoln was a young man he ran for the legislature in Illinois, and was badly swamped.

He next entered business, failed, and spent 17 years of his life paying up the debts of a worthless partner.

He fell in love with a beautiful young woman to whom he became engaged—then she died.

Entering politics he ran for congress and was badly defeated.

He then tried to get an appointment to the United States Land Office, but failed.

He became a candidate for the United States Senate and was badly defeated.

In 1856 he became a candidate for the vice presidency and was again defeated.

In 1858 he was defeated by Douglas.

But in the face of all this defeat and failure, he eventually achieved the highest success attainable in life, and undying fame.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Carter drove to El Paso Friday night and returned home Monday morning.

They saw the bull fights in Juarez Sunday.

avoidable question."

Thursday, 7:30 p. m., special communion service.

Friday, 8 p. m., "In the Hands of Enemies and Friends."

Mrs. Augusta Spratt will be in charge of the congregation singing for these services. All who are not attending services elsewhere are invited to come and worship with us.

John S. Rice, Pastor

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sixth and Quay

"The Homelike Church"

Just one more Sunday before Easter. Let us do our very best to make the services of this Sunday as large and full of inspiration as possible. This will be necessary if we are to realize our goal for Easter, which is double attendance and each one winning one. Hear the gospel in sermon and song Sunday in the two worship services, at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. And may we have all of the church members in the Bible school and all of the Bible school members in church services. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., under the leadership of C. O. Brown.

J. Vernon Wheeler, Minister

Fifteen Years Ago Today

(From The Advocate Files of March 28, 1924)

A movement is on foot to organize a Boy Scout troop in Artesia. The Artesia Chamber of Commerce, in conjunction with the Rotary Club, hopes to perfect plans whereby the organization will soon be functioning.

McCrary and Truett of Artesia have opened an insurance and real estate office in the Chamber of Commerce building.

Mrs. M. H. Ferriman has been confined to her home with measles the last week.

Roy Muncy has returned home from Las Vegas, where he was a student in the high school department of the Montezuma College.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brainard departed last night for High Point, N. C., where Fred will enter the spring training camp of the New York Yankees. Fred will again assume the management of the club, playing whenever necessary.

Jimmie Ferriman was three years old Wednesday the 19. His mother entertained in honor of the occasion.

Lower Penasco

(Mary Sunbeam)

Charlie Bullock of Artesia was transacting business here recently.

Austin Reeves left Tuesday of last week for Hot Springs where he will take the hot baths.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vickers of Sacramento were in this community one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kemper of Mayhill have gone to Hatch, where Mr. Kemper will have employment.

John Barton of the Merston Sawmill was in the valley one day last week with a load of lumber.

Will Paxton visited his daughter and family, Mrs. E. J. Chandler, and Mr. Chandler recently.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sanford of Hope were visitors in the Mayhill neighborhood over the week end.

Jim Harwell was one of those purchasing wood from the Merston Sawmill the other day.

Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Cox and family made a trip to the valley the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Stanhope of near Weed passed through en route to the valley a few days ago.

Good showers fell two or three days last week. We can soon expect to see the hillsides pretty and green.

Adam Donaghe, J. C. and Jack Reed were in Alamogordo Sunday of last week, where they saw the show, "Jesse James."

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Holt, who have been at Mayhill during the recent road work down the Penasco, have been transferred to Roswell.

Yes, sir, we believe our hunch was right about spring being close, for various ones were buying garden seed last week at Vada's Grocery.

A number from this and the Felix communities went to the White Sands Saturday, when the annual White Sands Play Day was held.

Paul A. Otts, who went to San Angelo, Tex., last Thursday on business, returned home yesterday, accompanied by Mrs. Otts' sister, Miss Bertha Eaton, of San Angelo, for a visit in the Otts home.

L. P. Glasscock of Hope is loading out a carload of lambs from Artesia today, consigned to Dick Norris at Clovis.

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Hope Items

(Marjorie Johnson)

Crabron Buckner visited friends in Clovis over the week end.

George Courrier of Albuquerque was a business visitor in the soil conservation office here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schrier of Mayhill spent the week end here visiting her brother, Lee Payne.

J. P. Menefee has returned from Carlsbad where he has been recovering from an appendectomy.

John Pete Cauhope and J. P. Parks are shearing at their ranches this week.

Mrs. Kenneth Goddard returned to Lubbock, Tex., Thursday after she had been confined to her home here for several days with flu.

Mrs. Harper Simms of Albuquerque arrived here Sunday to spend two weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Fite.

C. G. Prude accompanied his son, John Prude, to the ranch 35 miles southeast of Hope Sunday to spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Mode Stevenson were called to Lake Valley to be with Mrs. Stevenson's mother, Mrs. Harrell, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Young, T. E. Young and Jessie and Lucille Young were Roswell business visitors Saturday.

Bryant Williams returned Saturday from Kansas City, where he went two weeks ago to take a shipment of lambs which were sent there to grass.

Mrs. H. J. Dunne, who spent the last month here visiting her mother, Mrs. Nora L. Johnson, returned to her home in Hobbs Tuesday. Mr. Dunne drove here for her Monday.

Oliver Scoggin, who became ill at his home here Sunday, was taken to Artesia where he remained several days this week under the care of a doctor.

Miss Bernice Perry, NYA county supervisor and Miss Jane Carlin, who is connected with the NWA sewing project made a call at the school here Friday.

Mrs. Howard Williams and daughter Marion, arrived here Wednesday from Abilene to visit several days with her mother, Mrs. Z. P. Cox.

Frances Johnson of Carlsbad spent the week end here. Her mother, Mrs. Nora Johnson and sister, Marjorie took her home Sunday.

Vaughn Choat, regional cost accountant, and G. A. Latham, chief of the payroll unit, of Amarillo and George Dempsey, cost accountant of Albuquerque, were here Monday attending to business in the Soil Conservation office.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mullen and family of Hobbs were guests of Mrs. Mabel Bowers and Miss Catherine Bowers several days this week.

Modest suitor: "I have only \$5,000 a year, sir, but I think I can support your daughter on that."

Father (enthusiastically): "Support her, my dear boy? Why, you can support her entire family on it."

WANTED—Clean Cotton Rags—The Advocate.

Gas Gas All Time

Mrs. J. J. Filler says: "Gas on my stomach was so bad I couldn't eat or sleep. Gas even pressed on my heart. Adlerika brought me quick relief. Now, I eat as I wish, sleep fine, never felt better."

ADLERIKA

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Artesia Credit Bureau

Pecos Watershed Survey to Start Sometime in May

Five Agencies Will Participate—Complete Report Is Due in 1941

Field trips preliminary to starting the \$300,000 survey of the Pecos River watershed are to start in May, Hugh Calkins, regional conservator of the soil conservation service, said Friday.

Five federal agencies are to participate in the survey with a complete report from each agency to be ready for Jan. 1, 1941, and a general consolidated report prepared by June 30, 1941.

Financial burden of the surveys will be undertaken through the regular agency budgets to contribute necessary information before the June deadline in 1941, when a WPA allotment of \$100,000 for the survey expires.

Before taking major steps in the Pecos program, Calkins said, an advisory committee would be appointed of representatives of both New Mexico and Texas with their approval necessary to each step.

The survey is preliminary to negotiating an interstate water compact between Texas and New Mexico. Approval for a compact has already been ratified by the Texas State Legislature, but no action has yet been taken by New Mexico.

The federal agencies to participate in the survey are the Department of Agriculture, the U. S. Army engineers, the Bureau of Reclamation, the Geological Survey and the national resources committee.

The Department of Agriculture is to undertake the major studies of present and potential irrigation uses and land productivity, sources of salinity and silt in the river, crop problems peculiar to the Pecos, and supply a comprehensive picture of agricultural resources and requirements.

Water supplies will be charted by the Reclamation Bureau, flood control and storage problems will be continued by the War Department, and the Geological Survey will determine the existing and potential amounts of ground and surface waters.

The federal government recently appropriated \$100,000 for a flood control survey in the Pecos Valley. The states of Texas and New Mexico are to match the government's appropriation for a total of \$300,000.

Cats Only Dwellers On Lonely Island

Tens of thousands of cats, descendants of two which survived a shipwreck of eighty years ago, have been found to infest a coral island three hundred miles north-east of Mauritius, in the Indian Ocean.

The animals, which are large and fierce, live in burrows and emerge only at night in search of food, according to a surveyor who has just returned from the island. The cats, he says, catch fish in organized fashion, by forming a circle and closing in on the fish left in small pools and channels at low water.

A "drive" may yield as much as a ton of fish.

HINTING

There is a little matter that some of our subscribers have seemingly forgotten entirely. Some of them have made us many promises, but have not kept them. To us it is a very important matter—it is necessary in our business. We are very modest and don't like to speak about such remittances.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Reed of Fort Stockton, Tex., who formerly were on the Flint ranch here, have announced the arrival of a nine-pound daughter on March 19. The infant has been named Nancy Jo.

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Little Known Facts and Sidelights on Oil Industry

Under the Hood—

In the ordinary operation of a small, modern automobile engine, metallic surfaces equal in size to a newspaper page brush together 130 times a second. Wear is reduced because a film of oil separates the moving parts. It also transfers heat to water jackets, seals in the power strokes, and keeps the cylinder walls clean. This oil film is only a fraction of one one-thousandth of an inch thick.

More Oil—

Men who discover and develop new oil fields in the United States again are making life difficult for the view-with-alarmers who insist exhaustion of the nation's petroleum reserves is imminent. Latest scientific estimate of crude reserves, as proved by the drill, gives this country 17,348,146,000 barrels, the greatest in history.

To the petroleum industry this reserve supply is known as "oil in sight." It does not include new fields which may be discovered nor the potential supply in fields whose producing capacity is not yet ascertained, but only the oil that actually is known to be recoverable.

Further to discredit the prophecies of disaster, estimates of reserves have been increasing almost at twice the rate of production. New discoveries and increased reserve estimates totalled 9,500,000,000 barrels in the five years ending with 1938. In the same period, withdrawal of crude from the ground was only about 5,500,000,000 barrels.

Watches—

Watches, once a family heirloom, are worn today by every member of the family—even the 12-year-old son. His inexpensive "sports" wrist watch has no jewel bearings, nevertheless it keeps time.

Modern lubricants, watchmakers have discovered, make friction-resistant jewel bearings unnecessary. Cheaper materials work perfectly with today's efficient lubricants which cling to microscopic parts and "inhibit" the action of acid rusting agents.

Traveling Statistics—

Researchers are looking for many a statistic to be developed this year when the American people drive their motor vehicles to two simultaneous world's fairs. Already it is estimated that at least one-third of all American motorists will drive to one or the other of the fairs. This means that upwards of 9,000,000 motor cars will be on the roads this summer.

The simultaneous fairs, one on each coast, provide the first real opportunity the motorists have had to put to good use the roads for which they have been paying gasoline taxes since 1919. Advance estimates indicate these folks will roll up a total of 45,000,000,000 passenger miles, a figure which will set a record for mass movement of population.

The states haven't overlooked the possibilities of making themselves a bit of money on the deal. Those through which pass roads leading to the fairs have fixed up their highways to encourage motor travel and the consequent payment of millions in gasoline taxes. Local business is cutting itself in on

the party for highways traditionally create new business along their entire length.

If all the hot dogs which will be consumed by fair-bound motorists were put end to end . . . !

Glycerin—

Unlimited possibilities of petroleum as a basic chemical material are indicated in the latest achievement of petroleum researchers—the production of glycerin, basic commodity of trade and industry, from petroleum gases, at a cost below the current market price.

Experimental operation of a small commercial plant is reported not only profitable, but productive of a product which is equal to if not better than the finest grades of glycerin on the market.

Intensive research proved allyl chloride to be the key material for its synthesis. After many technical trials and errors, a process for large-scale production was developed. Final step was the development of three alternative processes for transforming it into glycerin.

Since glycerin, as known now, is a by-product of the soap industry, its price is subject to the wide fluctuations characteristic of any product which must be thrown away if not sold. Petroleum's synthetic product will act as a price-stabilizer, it is believed, and in addition will be readily available in large quantities should present existing sources fall below requirements.

Petrolines—Thermite "bomb" recently patented, will start a flow of oil from a new level, inventor claims.

Pilots are experimenting with "frozen" gasoline for use in combat planes. Cooled with dry ice and alcohol, inventor claims it cannot be ignited by bullets.

Geophysical exploration and new drilling technique increased world oil output 35 per cent between 1926 and 1929.

Recent experiments reveal the possibility of using compressed gases such as helium and nitrogen for low-cost insulation of power transmission lines.

New anti-rust preparation for machinery or tools forms a tough, elastic nonporous film which can be removed with gasoline or kerosene when the article is ready for use.

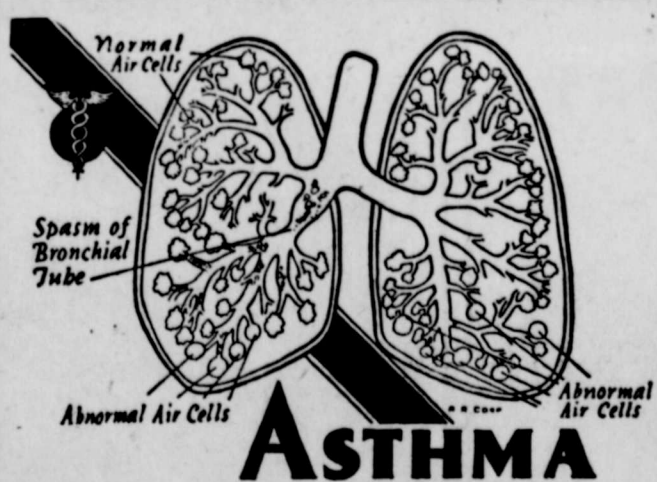
William Mitchell, official of Malco Refineries, Inc., and Mrs. Mitchell and their daughter, Mrs. Margaret Harding, who arrived last week, are to return to their home at New York City the latter part of this week.

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ASTHMA

ASTHMA is one of the allergic diseases, caused from a sensitivity of the bronchial membranes to pollens, animal effluvia or protein. The tendency is INHERENT and the disease is not contagious. While rarely fatal, Asthma is most distressing, inconvenient and exhausting, and the attacks place an undue strain on the heart and nervous system.

Asthmatic patients' major difficulty is EXHALING. The lining of the bronchial system has become irritated, and nature is trying to clear the air-passages of accumulated mucus. When the bronchial tubes and air-cells become congested, the one passage for air to the lower part of the lungs must be cleared, hence the spasmodic action of the tubes designated as ASTHMA. Sometimes an enlarged thymus gland, tumors that press on the windpipe, or a bad heart cause symptoms that are mistaken for Asthma. In children, especially, ASTHMATIC attacks are often mistaken for croup or bronchial pneumonia.

Specialists and authorities on Asthma and the allied allergic diseases (hay fever, eczema, hives, migraine, and mucous colitis) advise locating the CAUSE of sensitivity, and treatment for immunization, and less time and expense on palliative reliefs.

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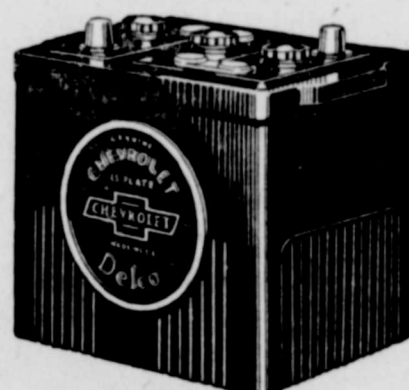
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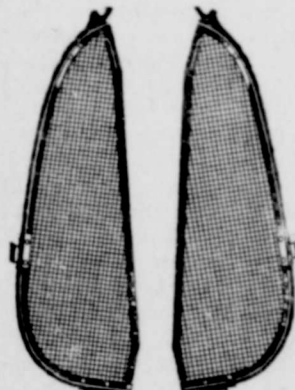


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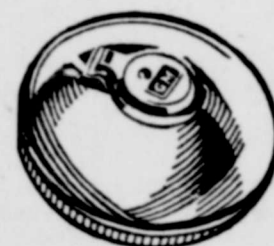
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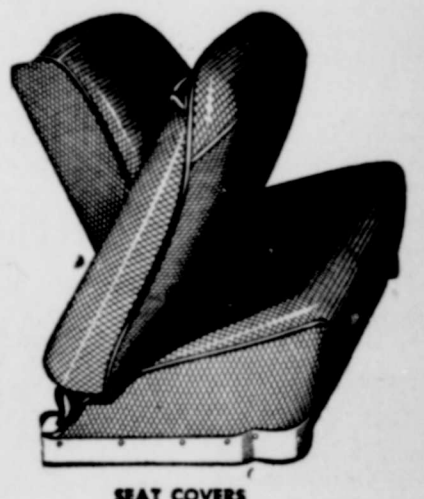
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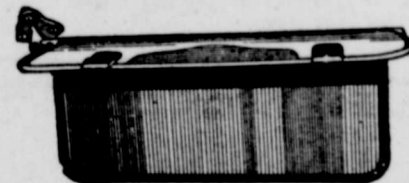
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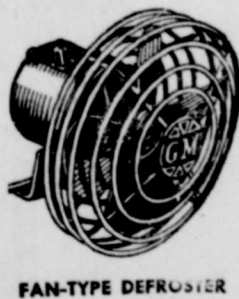
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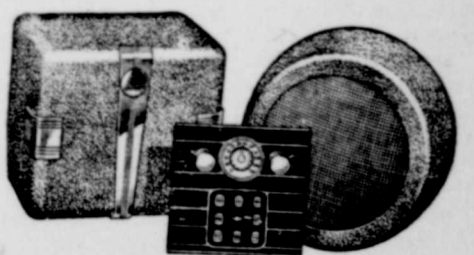
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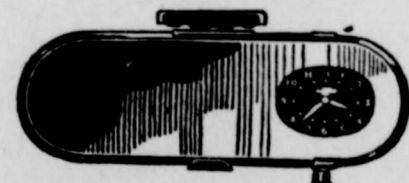
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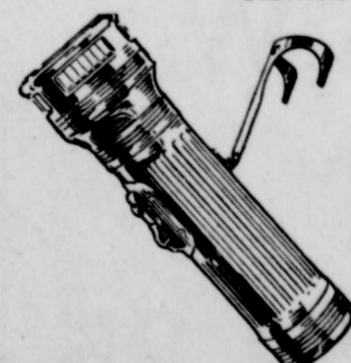
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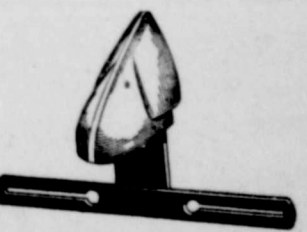
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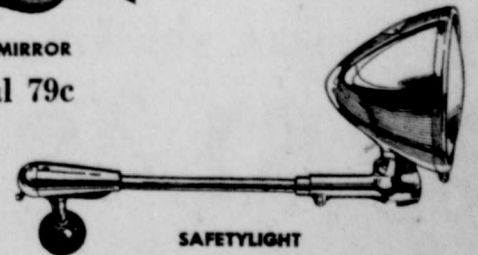
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SOCIETY

Parent-Teacher Group Organized Here on Friday

Mrs. George Wilcox of Dexter, a past state president of the Parent-Teacher Association, a well-informed and prominent member of the state and national organization, presided here last Friday afternoon when a local Parent-Teacher Association was organized.

Officers elected to serve temporarily or until the next meeting, which is scheduled to be the first week in April when the regular election will be held, were: Mrs. Reed Brainard, president; J. Clark Bruce, vice president, and Mrs. Ben Pior, secretary and treasurer.

The election was held at the home of Mrs. Jim Berry, when a call meeting was announced by school patrons for the purpose of forming a local P. T. A. organization. About thirty-five attended the meeting and twenty-seven registered and paid dues, which were set at 50 cents a year.

Mrs. J. K. Wallingford was appointed as chairman of the program committee for the next meeting, which has been announced at the high school auditorium, Friday, April 7 at 3 p. m. W. E. Kerr, superintendent of the Artesia schools, and Mrs. Neil Watson were appointed to serve with Mrs. Wallingford.

Every effort will be made to perfect the organization in time to elect delegates for the annual state convention to be held in Albuquerque April 20 and 21.

It has been more than ten years since there has been an active P. T. A. organization in the city. For several years many school patrons have felt the need of an organization which might offer closer contact between home and school and one which might aid in the educational program of the youth of today. The P. T. A. seemed to be the answer to the question and all school patrons and all teachers are invited to membership in the organization.

A meeting of the school faculty was held at the high school on Tuesday afternoon of this week when a resolution was adopted endorsing the organization and pledging its support and cooperation.

YOUNG MATRONS ELECT DELEGATES

Mrs. Dale Thomas, president of the Young Matrons' Circle of the Methodist Missionary Society, and Mrs. William Bullock were elected as delegates to represent the circle at the annual conference to be held in Clovis next month.

The election was held at the March meeting of the Circle at the home of Mrs. Joe Ellis last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Joe Holyfield was assisted by Mrs. W. J. Bowden and Mrs. Reed Dowell in presenting an interesting program on "Widening Horizons." The hostess served a salad and dessert course during a social hour after the meeting to twelve guests.

The April meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Howard Gissler.

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THURSDAY (TODAY)

Swastika Bridge Club, losers entertain winners, J. Clark Bruce home, 7:30 p. m.

The Episcopal Guild-Auxiliary, Mrs. A. T. Woods, hostess, 2:30 p. m.

The Thursday Supper Club, Mr. and Mrs. Neil B. Watson, hosts, 7 p. m.

FRIDAY

Viernes Bridge Club, Mrs. A. G. Glasser, hostess, 2 p. m.

1937 Bridge Club, Mrs. Landis Feather, hostess, Artesia Hotel, 1 p. m.

MONDAY

Library Board meeting at library, 1:30 p. m.

Rebekah birthday supper at lodge hall, 6:30 p. m.

TUESDAY

Bible study class at Methodist Church, conducted by the Rev. John S. Rice. All church women invited to attend, 2:30 p. m.

Fortnightly Bridge Club, Mrs. J. B. Atkeson, hostess, 1 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Woman's Club, Carlsbad Woman's Club guests. Mrs. E. H. Hemmenway of Carlsbad will review "Mortal Storm" by Phyllis Bottome. Mrs. John Lewis, president third district, New Mexico Federation of Women's Clubs, honor guest. Meeting 2:30 p. m. at club house.

Pitch Club, Mr. and Mrs. Nevil Muncy, hosts, 6:30 p. m.

Bridge-Its, Miss Hazel Luck, hostess, 7:30 p. m.

Artwood Pirates, Mrs. Lawrence Carrell, hostess, covered dish supper, 7:30 p. m.

THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

Christian Woman's Association, all-day meeting, Mrs. John Lanning hostess. Covered dish luncheon.

Baptist Woman's Missionary Society at church, 2:30 p. m.

Methodist Missionary Society at church, 2:30 p. m.

Presbyterian Ladies Aid at church, 2:30 p. m.

Thursday Evening Bridge Club, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hastings, hosts, 7:30 p. m.

DORCAS-FIDELIS PARTY

TUESDAY AFTERNOON

The joint March social of the Dorcas and Fidelis classes of the Baptist Sunday school was held at the home of Mrs. J. B. Perkins Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Cecil Mitchell co-hostess.

The devotionals were led by Mrs. C. R. Jones. Mrs. George Williams gave a splendid discussion on "The Beginning of Christianity."

During a social hour, refreshments were served to the following guests. Mmes. Fred Cole, L. D. Oman, C. W. Stagmiller, Ray Hart, Bill Stewig, Charles Ransberger, Yova Powell, C. C. Grimlan, J. S. Mills, Bill Davis, Ernest Scoggin, Kirk Yeager, Carl Lewis, C. R. Jones, James Dew, R. M. Henson, Joe Luce, Walter Johnson, Jr., L. C. Reynolds, Earl Bean, A. M. Morgan, Jack Moreland, I. C. Liebhardt, John Simmons, V. D. Bolton, George Williams and a Mrs. Ashton.

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MRS. WELBORNE PRESENTS HER STUDENTS IN RECITAL

Mrs. Doris Deter Welborne presented her music pupils in recital at the Methodist Church Monday evening. Potted spring plants and ferns decorated the church for the occasion, creating a spring atmosphere.

Two advanced students of Mrs. Welborne, Miss Dorothy Deason and Miss Elaine Frazier of Roswell appeared in the recital. Miss Deason and Miss Frazier, accomplished young musicians of unusual talent will compete in the state music contest held in Las Cruces this week. Miss Deason will enter the contest in both violin and piano and Miss Frazier in violin. The young ladies will accompany each other at the piano. Miss Deason and Mrs. I. L. Spratt were accompanists for the recital Monday evening.

The solo and ensemble groups of the local students gave a splendid performance. Due to illness, many of the students were unable to take part on the program.

BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR VIOLET SHIPP FRIDAY

Violet Shipp, young granddaughter of Judge and Mrs. G. U. McCrary, chose a line and slumber party in celebration of her tenth milestone, Friday evening.

Eight close friends were greeted by Violet and her grandmother and seated at an attractively laid supper-table centered with a candle-light birthday cake. When the cake was cut it yielded forth prophecies forecasting the destinies of each guest.

Games, dancing, pageants, a style show and impromptu drama added color to the evening's entertainment, and only toward dawn did darkness and quiet prevail in the guest room.

Those sharing the happy event with Violet were: Betty Blue, Jean Wise, Rosemary Martin, Joann Livingston, Martha Wallingford, Phoebe Welch, Hazel Jean Barton and Billie Sue Wilson.

HANDWORK PROGRAM FOR GUILD WOMEN

Thursday afternoon of last week was devoted to handwork of various kinds at the regular meeting of the Young Women's Guild, which met with Mrs. Leann McCrary. The handwork will be on sale at a benefit bazaar at some future time. Ten members were present.

The hostess served a salad course during a social hour.

DOLLAR CLUB OFFICERS RE-ELECTED TO OFFICE

Mrs. Ira Reser, president of the Dollar Club of the Christian Church, Miss Linna McCaw, secretary, and Mrs. Bryan Shoemaker, treasurer, were each re-elected to serve as officers of the club for the coming year.

The March meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alf Coll Friday evening, with about forty present. This month marks the first anniversary of the club. The treasurer reported more than \$200 in the treasury, which was started as a building fund for the future.

Mrs. Reser and Mrs. Faith Huston were in charge of the entertainment for the evening and offered various games which were enjoyed by all. Mrs. Coll served a delicious refreshment course.

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JORDON-HAINES

Announcement was made last week of the secret marriage of Miss Gracie Kimona Jordan to Milton Demetrius Haines, both of this community. The marriage vows were exchanged in Roswell Feb. 27, 1939, at the Baptist Church with Dr. McKinley Norman officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jordan. She received her public school education in the schools here and at Lake Arthur. The bridegroom is the eldest son of Mrs. Ruby B. Sharp. He graduated with the class of 1936 of the Artesia High School. Both are members of families who have farmed in the Pecos Valley for the last 15 or 20 years.

Mrs. Jordan joined her husband in Carlsbad last week. Mr. Jordan is employed as a pilot operator at the United States Potash Company mines, with residence in Carlsbad. Mr. and Mrs. Haines are located temporarily at the Sparks apartments.

WORLEY-ANSLEY

The marriage of Miss Lethea Leora Worley of the Cottonwood community to Carroll Ansley of Artesia occurred in Alamogordo Monday afternoon of last week. The ring ceremony was read by a Baptist minister at the Baptist parsonage. The bride was attended by Miss Cora Lee Ansley, sister of the bridegroom, and Charles Floore.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Worley, well known farmer of the Cottonwood community. She wore a dusky pink crepe ensemble with navy accessories. Her corsage was of mixed flowers of blending colors.

The bridegroom is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ansley. He is associated here with his father in the Ansley Garage & Machine Shop and trucking business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ansley returned to Artesia immediately after the ceremony and are at home at the Threikeld apartments.

SWASTIKA BRIDGE CLUB

All members of the Swastika Bridge Club were present last Thursday evening, when Mr. and Mrs. J. Clark Bruce entertained at their home.

Mr. Bruce held high score in contract for the men and Mrs. C. D. Marshall for the women at the close of the evening.

A dessert course of ice cream and cake was served by the hostess. The low score group will entertain the high score group with a party this evening.

EVENING BRIDGE CLUB AT OWEN HAYNES HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Haynes were hosts in entertaining members of the Thursday Evening Bridge Club last Thursday evening.

A delicious Easter menu was served preceding the games. The crystal award went to Mr. and Mrs. Haynes who held high score at the conclusion of the rounds of contract.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holyfield were substituting guests. Others present were: Messrs. and Mmes. Wallace Hastings, Howard Stroup, A. L. Colvin and W. J. Bowden.

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VIERNES BRIDGE CLUB MRS. GILLISPIE HOSTESS

Mrs. Andy Company was the winner of high score award and Mrs. Howard Stroup of second high when Mrs. E. E. Gillispie entertained members of the Viernes Bridge Club Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Stroup and Mrs. S. A. Lanning, Jr., were substituting guests. Members present were Mmes. Boone Barnett, W. J. Bowden, Jack Clady, Fletcher Collins, Wallace Hastings, C. R. Vandagriff, A. G. Glasser, Joe Holyfield and Company and the hostess.

Mrs. Glasser was honor guest after the games when the hostess served a beautifully decorated birthday cake with a dessert course.

HOME MAKERS CIRCLE IN ALL-DAY MEETING

Mrs. J. D. Josey conducted the Bible study last Thursday at the all-day meeting of the Home Makers Circle. The remainder of the time was spent on the work day program.

Twelve ladies were present when the covered dish luncheon was served.

MRS. J. T. BOOKER COMPLIMENTED TUESDAY

Mrs. J. T. Booker of Ponca City, Okla., who is a house guest of her sons and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Booker and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Booker and children, was complimented Tuesday afternoon when her daughters-in-law, Mrs. Grady Booker and Mrs. Glenn Booker, entertained from 3 to 5 o'clock at the home of the former in her honor.

The lovely new home of Mrs. Booker was decorated with spring blossoms creating a spring-like setting for the informal entertainment. Guests visited as they piled stitches on handwork of every description.

Guests bidden to share the occasion with Mrs. Booker were: Mmes. John Lowery, S. S. Ward, T. H. Flint, E. B. Bullock, George Frisch, Martin Yates, Jr., H. A. Stroup, J. B. Atkeson, Will Ballard, Will Benson, Preston Dunn, G. U. McCrary, Owen McClay, A. B. Coll, Emery Carper, S. W. Gilbert, Jim Elliott, Elizabeth Cooper and Jim Simpson and Mrs. Elmer Perry of Carlsbad and Mrs. M. H. Ferriman of Cheyenne, Wyo., a former resident of Artesia.

The hostesses were assisted by Mrs. Elliott in serving a dainty refreshment course.

AUXILIARY PRESIDENT VISITS IN NEW MEXICO

Mrs. James Morris of Carrington, N. Dak., national president of the American Legion Auxiliary, paid New Mexico an official visit Wednesday. A banquet in her honor was served at the Alvarado Hotel Albuquerque, Wednesday evening, with representatives from units of the entire state present.

Local Auxiliary women attending were: Mrs. Ben Pior, state membership chairman; Mrs. Irvin Martin, national news chairman; Mrs. C. R. Baldwin and Mrs. Alex McGonagill. The Artesia ladies were joined in Hagerman by Mrs. Jim Michelet.

Mrs. Pior and Mrs. Martin will attend a board meeting of the organization this morning. The ladies are expected home today.

Junior Shakespeare Club play, "The Winter's Tale," H. S. Auditorium, Apr. 3, at 7:30 p. m. Benefit Christian Church building fund. Prices 10, 15 and 25 cents. 13-ltc

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One of the principal attractions to be given by Mrs. Whitehurst during the three-day convention will be the play "Women's Part in American History." Mrs. Whitehurst, who is in Baltimore, Md., has an enviable reputation as a speaker. She has served as chairman of the General Federation, which is the largest organization of women in the world. No leader was ever in such demand as a speaker as Mrs. Whitehurst, speaking before strict, large clubs, students of universities and college clubs and on the radio. Whitehurst made 233 addresses during her term.

Major James R. Kelly, New Mexico Military Institute, will also be one of the guest speakers. His address will be on "World Conditions."

Convention headquarters in the Ruidoso Hotel, which has been reserved for the occasion.

WEEK END GUESTS HONORED AT D

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Askren as their guests over the weekend. Mrs. Askren (nee McKee) and Mrs. Neil B. Watson, Askren and son, Fred, of also Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Carrizozo.

A lovely dinner was served at 1 o'clock to celebrate birthday anniversaries of Mrs. Askren and Mrs. Watson. Bright jonquils, and stock were decoration of the table for the three course menu was.

BARBARA NELLE JONES IS ACCORDION SOLOIST

Mrs. C. Bert Smith received a copy of the News-Sun from Waukegan, Ill., last week which the picture of her daughter, Barbara Nelle Jones, appeared with three other Scouts who had appeared at father-daughter dinner for Girl Scouts and the March 14.

Barbara, daughter of Mrs. Edson Jones, accomplished young musician, accordion soloist on the program.

H. L. MUNCY HONORED AT BIRTHDAY

It was a surprise birthday which celebrated the sixty birthday anniversary of Muncy Monday evening Muncy home. The affair was arranged by Mr. and Mrs. Muncy, who were hosts. Arrived in a body and the honoree with handsome Pitch, dominoes and checkers were enjoyed at foot tables, entertaining present until late in the evening when the hosts served cake with ice cream and coffee.

Those sharing the occasion Mr. Muncy were: Messrs. Mmes. W. R. Hornbaker, Higgins, J. B. Muncy, Paul William T. Haldeman, Alberts and George William Muncy and Mr. and Mrs. Miller of Pasadena, California.

PAST PRESIDENTS' PARLEY HAS LUN

Mrs. C. R. Vandagriff was hostess last Thursday when she entertained members of the Past Presidents' Parley with a St. Leoncheon.

St. Patrick place cards the places for Mmes. Lewis P. V. Morris, Aleck McGonagill, Ben Pior, Frank Linell, J. E. and Irvin Martin. Greed tapers formed the centerpiece. The St. Patrick motif was the delicious menu served. Blossoms decorated her home.

Mrs. Martin, chairman parley, presided at the meeting held after the luncheon.

SUNSHINE CLASS PARTY

The March social of the Sunshine class was held at the home of Mrs. Mary Davis with Mrs. Crockett and Miss Olive as co-hostesses.

It was an informal gathering with the following members present: Mmes. C. E. Penne Jones, Merrill Sharp, Wiggell, Veda Taylor and Mrs. J. H. Walker, teacher of the class.

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Convention headquarters will be in the El Comodoro Lodge, which has been recently remodeled.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Askren had as their guests over the week end their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McKee (Ottoloe Askren) of Albuquerque and Mr. and Mrs. Neil S. Watson (Ruth Askren and son, Fred, of Artesia, also Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Day of Carrizozo.

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Pitch, dominoes and Chinese checkers were enjoyed at four quarter tables, entertaining those present until late in the evening, when the hosts served birthday cake with ice cream and coffee.

Those sharing the occasion with Mr. Muncy were: Messrs. and Mrs. W. R. Hornbaker, S. O. Higgins, J. B. Muncy, Paul Terry, William T. Haldeman, Albert Richards and George Williams and Mrs. Muncy and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Miller of Pasadena, Calif.

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W. C. T. U. HOLDS ITS BIMONTHLY MEETING

The W. C. T. U., a national organization, held its regular bimonthly local meeting Monday. The group is increasing and many have signified a desire to join and show which side they are on.

Regular meetings will be held at 2:30 o'clock the first and third Monday afternoons in each month at the Methodist Church parlors.

COTTONWOOD CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. H. V. PARKER

Line, design and patterns, with a demonstration in color selection by Miss Vernita Conley of Carlsbad, home demonstration agent, was the subject of discussion at the meeting of the Cottonwood Community Club which met with Mrs. H. V. Parker, Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Fred Chambers presided at the business meeting. Year books were distributed and the new club song was introduced. The roll call was answered with a favorite recipe or household hint.

The next meeting will be an all day affair. Pattern alterations will be the subject of discussion. The roll call will be answered with an exchange of bulbs and flower seeds. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Monroe Howard April 26.

A delicious refreshment plate was served by Mrs. Parker after the meeting.

JERRY REYNOLDS FOUR YEARS OLD SATURDAY

Twelve playmates of Jerry Lind Reynolds were invited to join him in celebrating his fourth birthday anniversary Saturday from 3:30 to 5:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

The boys were entertained with games on the lawn by Jerry's father, who flew miniature airplanes and joined in the games with them. There were favors of bouncing balls, chocolate Easter rabbits and bubble gum, which delighted Jerry and his young guests.

The little honoree received a handsome assortment of gifts. Mrs. Reynolds served the birthday cake, which was decorated and lighted with four blue candles, with ice cream and the following guests: Donny Schulze, Henry Stout, Lloyd Hamilton, Jimmy and Sonny Shook, Charles Henson, James Walter Johnson, Jackie Williams, Stephen Mathews, Howard Smith, Merwin Morgan and Tommy Bryan.

KAPPA GAMMA SORORITY

There were three speakers at the meeting of the Kappa Gamma Sorority Friday evening, when Miss Flora Dunlap was hostess. Miss Merrill Bradley discussed "What Do Teachers Do?" Miss Linna McCaw spoke on "The Advancement in the Teaching Profession" and Mrs. Margaret Bildstone on "Teachers' Salaries."

Miss McCaw, president, presided at the business meeting. The next regular meeting of the Alpha chapter will be held at the home of Mrs. Bildstone Friday evening, April 14.

All members were present. Light refreshments were served.

Of the twenty plays studied by the Shakespeare Club, "The Winter's Tale" was unanimously the favorite. See it at the H. S. auditorium Monday night. Church benefit. 13-ltc

MITCHELLS SHOWN MANY COURTESIES

Mr. and Mrs. William Mitchell and their daughter, Mrs. Margaret Harding, of New York City who have been here transacting business and visiting the last two weeks, have been extended many courtesies.

M. E. Baish has opened his home on several occasions. Mrs. R. A. Ehugart and Mrs. Lloyd Simon have accompanied the ladies to the caverns, the playgrounds of the Sacramento Mountains, over the oil fields and to other places of interest.

Mrs. Harding expects to leave this morning for Chicago, where she will visit before returning home. Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell will be here several days longer. They will visit their son, Malcolm Mitchell, Mrs. Mitchell and small daughter in Eldorado, Ark., on the return trip.

PINOCHLE CLUB AT HAROLD DUNN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dunn were hosts in entertaining the Pinochle Club Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Dunn held high score for the ladies and William Linell for the men at the close of the games. Guests were: Messrs. and Mmes. M. G. Schulze, William Linell, Frank Smith, Earl Ployhar and Hugh Kiddy.

The hostess served a refreshment plate late in the evening.

REPORTS GIVEN AT PRESBYTERIAN DINNER

Annual reports of all departments of the Presbyterian Church were heard at the annual gathering of church folks Wednesday evening at the church. All obligations and indebtedness of the church were reported paid in full with splendid reports from every department.

The annual election was held with two deacons being named, L. C. Reynolds and Wallace Gates. Dr. C. Russell was re-elected elder and R. G. Knoedler re-elected to serve as treasurer.

A brief service was held in which thanks and appreciation was extended to the musicians of the church for their outstanding services during the last year. These included Mrs. Wallace Gates, Mrs. M. C. Ross, Mrs. L. R. Gerhardt and Mrs. V. L. Gates.

Preceding the meeting a chicken pie dinner was enjoyed in the church basement with about eighty served.

MRS. COLL IS HOSTESS TO PAST MATRONS' CLUB

The Past Matrons' Club was entertained by Mrs. A. B. Coll Monday afternoon with nine members present.

Mrs. R. G. Knoedler presided at the business meeting. After a social hour, refreshments were served to Mmes. Jeff Hightower, Arba Green, Calvin Dunn, Jess Funk, J. M. Story, J. C. Floore, P. V. Morris and Knoedler.

Mrs. Albert Richards and her twin sons, Davy and Danny, of Oak Creek, Colo., are here this week visiting Mrs. Richards' parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Creek.

DINNER PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. John Mann, who left Wednesday morning for Lewistown, Wyo., to make their future home, were joined at the Artesia Hotel Tuesday evening for dinner by old-time friends from Carlsbad, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hackett and Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Albright.

EPISCOPAL GUILD

Mrs. Fay Hardeman conducted the Bible Study at the pre-Easter meeting of the Episcopal Guild-Auxiliary at the home of Mrs. Van P. Welch last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. J. K. Wallingford presided at the business session. Fifteen members were present. Light refreshments were served by the hostess.

H2O BRIDGE CLUB

There were two substituting guests when Mrs. J. B. Atkeson entertained the H2O Bridge Club at her home Friday afternoon, Mrs. S. O. Higgins and Mrs. Jeff Hightower.

Mrs. A. T. Woods held high score at the conclusion of the games on contract.

MRS. HOWARD WHITSON HONOREE AT PARTY

Mrs. Fay Hardeman and Mrs. Neil B. Watson entertained Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hardeman with a beautiful party and shower, naming Mrs. Howard Whitson as honor guest.

Gorgeous pink sweet peas and lighted pink tapers were used in home decorations. A lovely shower of gifts was presented to Mrs. Whitson, wrapped in dainty packaging and tied with delicately tinted blue and pink ribbons. It was a thrilling occasion when the honoree opened each gift and passed it around for admiration of her friends.

A dainty refreshment course of little individual white cakes, coffee and pink and white mints were served.

The invited guest list included: Mrs. Whitson and Mmes. Earl Bigler, Margaret Bildstone, Landis Feather, Glenn Booker, Lucille Hare, Grady Booker, Hollis Watson, Lewis Story, D. C. Blue, Charles Morgan, Wendell Welch, J. K. Wallingford, T. F. Flint, V. P. Welch.

A. T. Woods, E. A. Metzger, C. J. Dexter, Marie De Voss, Mary Evans, Raymond Bartlett, N. M. Baird, J. S. Ward, James Welch, Hugh Donald Burch, Kenneth Williams, John Mann, J. Mott Williams, D. A. Miller and Terry Tornaday, and Miss Ruth Bigler and Miss Katherine Ragsdale.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams were substituting guests at the Wednesday Night Club Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hamill were hosts.

Dinner was served at a local cafe and games of contract were played at the Hamill home. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clady received the high score award and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Vandagriff second high. Other guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Boone Barnett and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Douglas.

MRS. BEN SHOOK IS COMPLIMENTED AT CLUB

Mrs. Ben Shook was complimented by members of the So So Club Tuesday afternoon when Mrs. George Hart entertained. Mrs. Shook, who is leaving this week to make her home in Alamogordo, was showered with an assortment of lovely handkerchiefs.

All members were present except two. Club guests on this occasion were Mrs. Donald Maudslay and Mrs. D. A. Miller from the oil field and Miss Kathryn Conner and Miss Hazel Luck.

After an informal social hour the hostess served a delicious refreshment course.

FIRST AFTERNOON BRIDGE

Mrs. J. W. Berry held high score at the close of the rounds of contract Tuesday afternoon when Mrs. Arba Green entertained members of the First Afternoon Bridge Club.

Mrs. Henry Paton of Fort Worth, Tex., Mrs. Roger Durand and Mrs. Maude Ployhar were substituting guests. Club members present were: Mmes. C. M. Houk, J. Hise Myers, J. M. Story, Jeff Hightower, H. A. Hamill, Beecher Rowan, A. G. Glasser, A. B. Coll and Berry.

Light refreshments were served.

ARTWOOD PIRATES

The Easter motif was used in the bridge and table appointments Wednesday evening, when Mrs. J. O. Wood entertained the Artwood Pirates Bridge Club.

Mrs. M. Murphy received the high score award, Mrs. Wood second award and Mrs. Lawrence Carrell traveling award. All members were present.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Carrell, a covered dish supper.

Ray Soladay, postmaster of Carlsbad, and Charles F. Montgomery, county commissioner from district 1, were visiting Rotarians at the luncheon here Tuesday of the Artesia Rotary Club.

T. H. Flint and Jim Berry drove to Santa Fe on business Monday morning and returned here Tuesday night.

NOTICE

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE
Santa Fe, New Mexico, March 30, 1939.

Number of application RA-403.

Notice is hereby given that on

the 30th day of March, 1939, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, W. S. Morgan by Fred M. Nelson of Roswell, New Mexico, County of Chaves, State of New Mexico made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to Change Place of Use of 162.54 acre feet of Artesian Water per annum as claimed under Declaration No. RA-403, from 54.18 acres of land described as follows:

Subdivision—Lot 2, Section 6, Township 16S., Range 25E., 14.18 acres; Subdivision, Lot 7, Section 6, Township 16S., Range 25E., 40.00 acres, to 54.18 acres of land described as follows:

Subdivision—N½ Lot 11, Section 6, Township 16S., Range 25E.,

20.00 acres; Subdivision—North 34.18 acres of Lot 12, Section 6, Township 16S., Range 25E., 34.18 acres.

Rights to the use of above mentioned 162.54 acre feet of artesian water date from the year 1914 according to Declaration No. RA-403, now on file in the Office of the State Engineer.

This is not an application for any new appropriation of water, but is merely for the purpose of obtaining a permit to change the place of use of water, as has been stated hereinabove.

Any person, association or corporation deeming that the grant-

ing of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source may file a complete sworn statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer on or before the 24th day of April, 1939, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested.

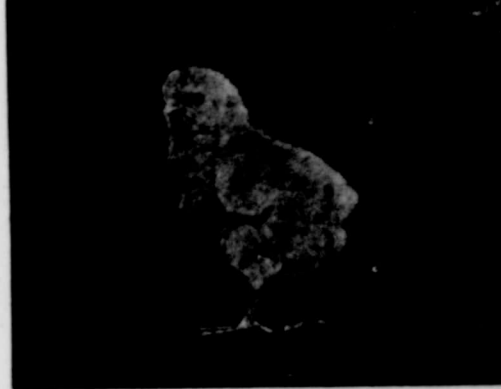
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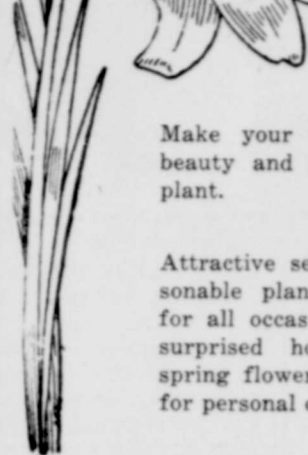
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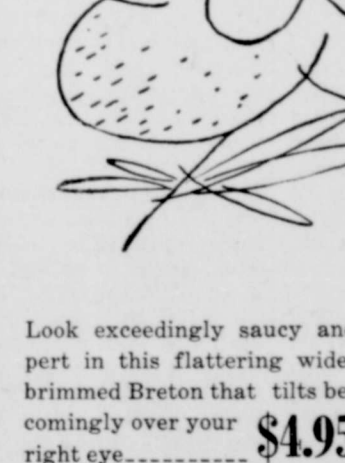
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WHAT'S WHAT —In— NEW MEXICO

News Briefs of the "Sunshine
State." Gleaned from
Many Sources

Presidential approval of nine New Mexico WPA projects was announced by the state's congressional delegation last week. The action now leaves execution of the projects up to the discretion of the state administration. They are: Construction work on the Antelope Valley irrigation district, \$41,415; construct sanitary sewers in Springer, \$6,290; construct gymnasium and auditorium at Sofia, \$5,916; extend Tucumcari water distribution system, \$39,168; construct Magdalena ranger station, \$8,528; develop wildlife refuges (statewide), \$13,428; improve roads in Torreon Canyon, \$28,122; construct road between Taos and Arroyo Hondo, \$63,353; improve state road No. 39 in Harding County, \$4,481.

The Bureau of Agricultural Economics crop reporting board, using farmers' reports as a basis, predicted an increase in acreages of most crops planted in New Mexico in 1939 as compared with 1938. The indicated planting of all crops, the board said, was 231,000 acres, against 224,000 in 1938 and a 10-year average of 234,000. Spring wheat planting, estimated at 25,000 acres for 1939, was down 10 per cent from last year's 28,000. Other indicated acreages for 1939 crops, last year's acreages and the 10-year averages: Oats, 31,000, 28,000; barley 9,000, 8,000; tame hay 140,000, 136,000, 133,000; all grain sorghums 401,000, 422,000, 357,000; beans 195,000, 189,000, 190,000; potatoes 7,000, 7,000, 6,100.

Governor Miles said last week he had asked department heads to "discourage interdepartmental visiting" in the halls and offices of the statehouse. "Working hours at the capitol are not so long or the work so arduous that there should be any need for a recess for visiting every couple of hours," he said. "If there isn't enough work to keep employees busy, then there must be too many employees."

R. H. Rutledge, new chief of the Federal Division of Grazing, planned a series of trips around New Mexico's grazing area during the next few days.

The New Mexico Cattle Sanitary Board announced that 728,068 head of cattle were shipped from New Mexico during 1938, bringing into the state approximately \$17,000,000. The figure was more than half of the estimated cash income from the state's total livestock industry last year. Left on New Mexico ranges Jan. 1 were about 1,500,000 cattle, including Indian-owned stock, the board reported.

Mrs. Albino Dimas of Madrid and her 24-hour-old daughter were reported "doing nicely" at an Albuquerque hospital, where the baby would have been born except for the stark's faulty timing. The baby was born instead on a Santa Fe train between Cerrillos and Al-

buquerque as the mother and a doctor hurried to the hospital.

President Roosevelt has signed a bill directing payment by the government of \$500 to Emma Gomez for personal injuries sustained Jan. 16, 1935, when her automobile collided with a CCC truck near Willard, N. M. The accident happened between Willard and Mountaintop on U. S. 60. The truck was part of the equipment of a Civilian Conservation Corps camp near Manzano. The bill provided the \$500 should be paid from CCC funds. The president signed another bill appropriating \$255 from CCC funds for settlement of claims for the death of Teresita S. Otero, injured in the same accident.

Motor Vehicle Commissioner J. O. Garcia said he planned to confer soon with Governor Miles and Revenue Commissioner J. O. Gallegos to choose the color of the 1940 motor license plates. The possibility of using the red and yellow letters of old Spain has been discussed, inasmuch as next year the state will be observing the Coronado Cuarto Centennial.

Mail Carrying Deer Is Shot

A pathetic story comes from Texas to the effect that "Billy," the nation's only mail-carrying deer, was found fatally shot in the woods near his owner's home, last winter.

The deer was about 3½ years old and had been found, a helpless fawn, by Farmer Oscar Kohleffel who took it home and raised it as a pet. At six months, Billy formed the habit of taking a daily stroll with the family to the mail box, where it became attached to Mail Carrier J. T. Green. The postman, well supplied with lemon stick candy, tried tying the mail around the deer's neck and found that the faithful animal took it home safely.

Billy was officially recognized by the United States Postal Department as an honorary substitute mail carrier and a story was once published about him in the Postal Guide.

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Extension Women Plan for Year at Council Meeting

**Yard Beautification, Cold Storage
Plants Are Discussed
Saturday**

Thirty-five delegates representing nine of the thirteen extension clubs in Eddy County attended a County Council meeting Saturday morning at the courthouse in Carlsbad.

After the general business session, conducted by Mrs. Jesse I. Funk, president of the County Council, the meeting was turned over to Mrs. W. W. Galton, president of the Otis Club, who, with the assistance of cooperating club members, gave a demonstration on how to conduct a business meeting. Mrs. C. C. Lewis was requested to hold a short drill on parliamentary procedure.

Fred Barham, county agent, talked to the group on plans for yard beautifications, which is being carried as the minor project in the county. He explained that four persons, Mrs. Monroe Howard, Mrs. W. B. McCrory, Charles Matthews and Enea Grandi are co-operating with the Southern Great Plains Field Station, located at Woodward, Okla., in making experimental plantings on both trees and shrubs to determine those best adapted to this part of New Mexico. Barham presented the plans of the beautification of the Malaga School yard which had been drawn up by F. F. Whitley, state horticulturist specialist, and himself. The project is to be extended over a period of 5 to 6 years.

Barham then discussed the possibility of cold storage locker plants, as a means of food preservation, not only for farmers but those persons living in the towns. The plants would be located in the northern and southern part of the county. Further plans for the establishment of such plants will be discussed with the extension clubs at a later date.

Plans for the Eastern New Mexico State Fair, and the part each club will take in this exhibit was discussed by Miss Vernita Conley, home agent. The Cottonwood Community, which won second place last year, will sponsor it again this fall. It was suggested that every club appoint a committee to sponsor entering exhibits in the open class and the general arts exhibit hall.

With the club reporters serving in all thirteen clubs in the county a request that a school be held for them was handled by Mrs. Max Thomas and Neil McKim from the Eddy County News, Carlsbad. They were told to answer the questions, "who? where? what? when? and how?" and to be accurate and concise in writing their articles. A trip was made through the News plant, following which the delegates left for home.

Among those attending: Atoka Club—Mrs. William T. Halderman, Mrs. G. E. Kaiser, Mrs. Paul Terry, Mrs. E. D. Kissinger, Mrs. Frederick Crawford. Cottonwood Club—Mrs. Jesse Funk, Mrs. C. T. Hopkins, Mrs. J. A. Clayton, Jr. Morning Glory Club, Artesia—Mrs. J. W. Hillard, Mrs. I. C. Liehardt, Mrs. Molly E. Simer.

OIL VALUATIONS GO UP IN NEW MEXICO

Valuation of oil and gas well equipment for the 1939 tax rolls of New Mexico has been set at \$4,191,225. The 1938 valuation was \$3,505,150.

Most of the valuation is located in Lea County, listed as \$3,877,725. Eddy County has \$281,975 and San Juan \$31,525. McKinley's valuation is yet to be decided.

REHEARSALS CALLED OFF

There will be no band and twirling corps rehearsals Saturday, as E. L. Harp, director, and Mrs. Harp will attend the band contest at Las Cruces Friday and Saturday.

Trips and Scholarships Are Offered To Home Economics Girls in County

Homemaking abilities again will be recognized in the seventeenth national 4-H Club girls' record contest offered to home economics club members of Eddy County. Participation will be under the supervision of the Extension Service. More than a million girls have shared in the activities of past programs, and almost 500 from 44 states have earned trips to previous National Club Congresses in Chicago, and other awards.

The contest is designed to give the club girl a broader understanding of the major phases of homemaking, encourage her participation in them, aid in maintaining physical and mental health, develop an appreciation of factors that make happy family life, encourage wise "buymanship" and use of natural resources, develop skills and abilities that make for comfort in the home, and enjoy the noble individual and social satisfactions involved.

Awards will be based on their record of accomplishments in all the above lines, as well as in competitive and cooperative club ventures. County winners will receive gold medals, and the girl whose attainments rank highest in the state will make the trip to the eighteenth National Club Congress in Chicago with all expenses paid. From the group of state winners, five girls will be selected as a national blue award group to receive college scholarships of \$200 each. These selections will be made by a committee of state and federal extension specialists.

Boy Scout News

One of the greatest efforts ever attempted for the boyhood of Eastern New Mexico will be launched soon at dinner meetings of Boy Scout leaders in seven different towns.

Seeking to do a better job in scouting, these men will meet to discuss a carefully planned 12-point method for enriching the program of Boy Scout troops, Sea Scout ships and Cub packs. The meetings will be held in Artesia, Carlsbad, Roswell, Clovis, Portales and Hobbs, which are the centers of the various districts in the Eastern New Mexico area Boy Scout council.

The enrichment program is designed to give boys a more satisfying experience in scouting, so that scouting will make a great contribution to the lives of boys.

Not only will a more attractive program bring more boys into scouting, but will hold them in scouting longer, stimulate advancement in rank and result in better character and citizenship training.

A booklet explaining the enrichment program has been mailed to Boy Scout leaders throughout the area.

"The enrichment program is submitted to the unit leaders of the council with the hope that it will be well received and recognized as a definite effort to help the leader do a better job with his boys, no matter how well the job is now being done," P. V. Thorson, area executive, said.

At the annual meeting of the council held at Clovis in January, the enrichment program was adopted as the chief objective for 1939. It was later reviewed and endorsed by a sub-committee of the executive board and was the theme of the area-wide conference of Boy Scout commissioners, who pledged their best efforts to put it into operation in their respective localities.

Thousand Interstate Workers File Claims

Almost a thousand workers who came to New Mexico from other states have filed claims for job insurance. Benefits paid to these interstate claimants amounting to \$35,000 have been spent in New Mexico during the last three months. This was the conservative estimate made by Roy L. Cook, chairman-executive director of the New Mexico Unemployment Compensation Commission.

The New Mexico State Employment Service acts as agent in accepting claims against the liable states.

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NOTICE

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE
Number of Application RA-1502

Santa Fe, New Mexico, March 14, 1939.

Notice is hereby given that on the 13th day of March, 1939, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, B. F. Kaiser, Jr., of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a Permit to Change Location of shallow well from a dry well drilled under authority of Permit No. RA-1502, located in the SW¼NE¼SE¼ of Section 33, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., to a location in the East 10 acres of SE¼SE¼ of Section 33, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., where it is proposed to drill a shallow well, 12½ inches in diameter and approximately 200 feet in depth for the purpose of irrigating 160 acres of land described as follows:

Subdivision—N¼SW¼, Section 34, Township 17 S., Range 26 E., 80 acres; Subdivision—SE¼SW¼, Section 34, Township 17 S., Range 26 E., 40 acres; Subdivision—NE¼SE¼, Section 33, Township 17 S., Range 26 E., 40 acres—Total 160 acres.

This is not an application for any new appropriation of water, but is merely for the purpose of obtaining a permit to drill a well for the purpose of developing sufficient water for the irrigation of above described lands as has been authorized under authority of Permit No. RA-1502. The well drilled is a dry hole and therefore a change in location of well is asked for in order to develop sufficient water for irrigating the above described lands.

Any person, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source may file a complete sworn statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer within ten days after the date of the last publication of this notice.

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THOMAS M. MCCLURE,
State Engineer.
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NOTICE

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE
Number of Application RA-1531

Santa Fe, New Mexico, March 14, 1939.

Notice is hereby given that on the 13th day of March, 1939, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, J. E. Taylor of Lake Arthur, County of Chaves, State of New Mexico made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a Permit to Change Location of a Well from Shallow Groundwater well located in the SE¼SW¼ of Sec. 33, T. 16 S., R. 26 E., N. M. P. M., to a shallow well 12½ inches in diameter and 184 feet in depth, already drilled in the NW corner of Lot 3, Sec. 6, T. 16 S., R. 26 E., N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 120 acres of land described as follows:

Subdivision—Lot 1, Section 5, Township 16 S., Range 26 E., 20 acres; Subdivision—Lot 2, Section 5, Township 16 S., Range 26 E., 20 acres; Subdivision—Part of Lot 3, Section 5, Township 16 S., Range 26 E., 14 acres; Subdivision—Lot 6, Section 5, Township 16 S., Range 26 E., 15 acres; Subdivision—Part of Lot 7, Section 5, Township 16 S., Range 26 E., 26 acres; Subdivision—Part of Lot 8, Section 5, Township 16 S., Range 26 E., 25 acres; Total—120 acres.

This application is not for any new appropriation of water, but is merely for the purpose of obtaining a permit to Change Location of Well as has been stated hereinabove, and waterright has already been approved under Permit No. RA-1531.

Any person, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source may file a complete sworn statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer within ten days after the date of the last publication of this notice. The date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested is the 23rd day of April, 1939.

THOMAS M. MCCLURE,
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WPA Convictions Brought to Eight In Federal Court

Lordsburg Man Found Guilty Yesterday of Payroll Falsifying

Conviction in Federal Court at Santa Fe yesterday of Reuben R. Gale, Lordsburg, N. Mex., WPA foreman, on charges of falsifying payroll certificates brought to eight the number of persons found guilty of WPA code violations since a federal grand jury returned indictments against seventy-three persons last Oct. 20.

In less than two hours of deliberation yesterday, the Federal Court jury convicted Gale of falsifying payroll certificates, but acquitted him of another indictment charging diversion of WPA labor. Gale's conviction followed on the heels of a jury that left a sealed verdict Tuesday containing the names of five Mora County persons, charged with political conspiracy.

A jury of New Mexico business men and farmers was out only three hours Tuesday to convict Bernardo Cruz, Mora County, Democratic chairman; Julio Griego, Carlos Garcia, Arturo Maes and Benito Paiz. The verdict was in a sealed envelope, and disclosed by Judge Neblett as court opened yesterday.

Trial of Felix Martinez and Peter P. Coleman, Albuquerque, charged in a joint indictment with falsifying WPA payroll certificates, was started immediately yesterday with selection of a jury.

Mayor Samuel Klein of Las Cruces was to have been tried today on charges of diverting WPA labor from a storm sewer project and a sidewalk project, but the trial was advanced on the calendar and may be conducted tomorrow.

MRS. ROSS IN KANSAS FOR EASTER CHORUSES

Mrs. M. C. Ross left by train Tuesday morning for Lindsborg, Kan., where she was formerly head of the musical education department in Bethany College. Mrs. Ross will visit over the Easter vacation with friends in Lindsborg, where she will enjoy the pre-Easter and Easter musical programs which attract attention over the nation.

The Bethany Oratorio Society will broadcast portions of the "Messiah" on Good Friday evening over an NBC network for a 30-minute period beginning at 8:30 o'clock mountain time. There will be more than 500 trained voices in the chorus. A brief history of the "Messiah" and of the Kansas Chorus that has given performances of it for the last fifty-seven years also will be broadcast.

Mrs. Ross will also visit relatives at Lyons, Kan., her former home, before returning.

Miss Beulah Moore, director of music in the Artesia schools, is a former student of Bethany College in the noted town of Lindsborg.

Dr. J. J. Clarke, Sr., underwent an appendectomy at Hotel Dieu in El Paso, Saturday morning and is recovering satisfactorily. Mrs. Clarke and both of their sons, Dr. John J. Clarke, Jr., and Dr. L. R. Clarke, accompanied Dr. Clarke to El Paso. Mrs. Clarke remained to be with her husband. The others returned home Sunday.

Oscar Samelson was in Las Vegas Saturday and Sunday.

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WARRANTY DEEDS—

William Allen Smith, et ux to Shirley Irene Jacobs, 10 acres in sec. 35-24-25, \$10 &c.

A. K. Monk, et ux to Walter Lola Monk, land in sec. 13-22-26, \$10 &c.

Vergie Allen, et vir to Walter Brinkley, lot in Artesia Heights, \$37.50.

W. A. Sutter, et ux to George A. Baxter, land in Carlsbad, \$10 &c.

John Guitart, Jr., et al to H. E. Lovett, lot in Carlsbad, \$1 &c.

Joyce Fruit Company to Pecos Mercantile Company, property in sec. 19-23-28, \$10 &c.

R. L. Paris, et al to Wesley Sperry, land in sec. 11-17-26, \$26.

Quintin Mendoza, et ux to United States Potash Company, land in sec. 17 and sec. 18-23-29, \$10 &c.

Eloisa Corrales to Pas Pelaez, lot in Fairview Add., Artesia, \$300.

Ralph A. Shugart, et ux to Thelma Livingston, lots in Blair Add. to Artesia, \$300.

M. H. Holley, et ux to Rena Winters, 10 acres in sec. 13-22-26, \$10.

H. W. Clady, et ux to V. S. Welch, et al, lots in Clayton & Stegman Add. to Artesia, \$1.

Frank D. Papadeas, et ux to George W. Ball, lot in Carlsbad, \$10 &c.

E. M. Kohler to Elmer E. Walthall, lot in Carlsbad, \$10 &c.

W. H. Merchant, et al to Earl Wright, part of sec. 19-22-27, \$10 &c.

Herman Hemler, et ux to Earl Wright, lot in Carlsbad, \$10 &c.

Roy Todd to Elizabeth A. Todd, lot in Carlsbad, \$10 &c.

Carl W. Herring, Jr., to Carl W. Herring, et ux, lot in Carlsbad.

Dorothy Boes to W. T. Powers, lots in Carlsbad, \$1,000.

CEMETERY DEEDS—

Woodbine Cemetery to Bonnie C. Runyan, lot in Woodbine Cemetery, \$100.

LAND PATENTS—

United States of America to Joseph A. Erbacher, land in sec. 22 and sec. 27-20-25.

DISTRICT COURT—

No. 6896. Guy W. Nickson vs. J. A. Ladd, et al. Suit to quiet title.

No. 6897. A. M. Hoose vs. William J. Finch. Judgment transcribed from Justice of Peace Court, \$110.80 plus \$4.25.

No. 6889. Carl W. Herring, Jr., vs. Pauline Hinton Herring. Divorce.

W. O. W. Head Camp Bidden Here in '41

The New Mexico and Arizona head camp of the Woodmen of the World was invited this week to hold its next convention, in 1941, in Artesia, by way of a telegram from the Chamber of Commerce to the current camp today and tomorrow at Tucson, Ariz.

Artesia is not making a concerted bid for the convention, but the invitation was sent at the suggestion of the organization. However, the Carlsbad camp is bidding seriously for the 1941 convention, and the Artesia members are backing up the Carlsbad camp.

No members from the Artesia camp are attending the head camp this week.

Mrs. M. H. Ferriman of Cheyenne, Wyo., one of the pioneer residents of this city, is here this week visiting friends. She is a house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Yates, Jr., and from there has been an invited guest at many of the homes of old-time friends. Mr. Ferriman operated a dry goods store at one time here. Mrs. Ferriman was returning from a visit with her son, Robert Ferriman, and family in Big Spring, Tex.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT IN HEALTH COLUMN

In the "Health Column" this week are a number of suggestions which should be of interest to every local business manager who depends in part or wholly on tourist trade for his living.

—of interest to everyone in Artesia, as far as that goes, for tourist trade is a big industry in New Mexico.

There's a lot of truth in what is said in that column today—food for thought—and many could profit by it.

And speaking about business, isn't it about time to be thinking a lot about the annual good will trip to the mountains?

It always does a lot of good both from the standpoint of good will and an outing get-together for Artesia citizens.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dexter returned home Saturday night from Los Angeles, Calif., where they had been about three weeks.

Mrs. Tom Runyan from the Lower Penasco Runyan ranch was a week end guest of her daughter, Mrs. Irvin Martin, Mr. Martin and children.

Mrs. Alvin Payne was in Roswell the latter part of the week visiting her sister, Mrs. Wilfred Dillre, who has been critically ill for several weeks.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. Vernon Wheeler are expected home today from Canyon City, Colo., where they have been visiting Mrs. Wheeler's home folks.

Miss Ella Bauslin, accompanied by Mrs. W. A. Henry and daughter, visited her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bauslin in Hagerman Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Shook and children will leave this week for Alamogordo, where they will reside. Mr. Shook has been associated with the Pior Rubber Company here.

Miss Laura Elizabeth Bullock of Portales, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Bullock, and her friend, Miss Bessie McCall, also of Portales, were week end guests at the Bullock home.

Mrs. Newton Stroud of Altus, Okla., who has been making an indefinite visit with her mother, Mrs. J. D. Terry, returned from a Carlsbad hospital last week, where she was taken for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Murray of Denver, Colo., left Friday after visiting here for the last two weeks with Mrs. Murray's mother, Mrs. Nelle Feemster, and her sisters, Miss Elaine Feemster and Mrs. Margaret Ellis.

Connely Baldwin, brother of C. R. Baldwin, and Mrs. Baldwin of Lamesa, Tex., accompanied by a Mr. and Mrs. Harp, were here for a week end fishing trip. They were joined by Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Baldwin, L. B. Feather, William Linnell and Mrs. C. Bert Smith for a fishing trip on the Pecos River below Carlsbad.

Calling Cards, 100 for \$1.75, on best grade paneled or plain stock.—The Advocate.

Sheriff Hal Gage Hopes for Third Straight Win Over Texan Sunday

Health Column

Conducted by Charles M. Cree, Director, Division of Health Education

We are the tourists. Each year more of us come to New Mexico. Each year we leave more money in New Mexico.

We come to see the wonderful sights New Mexico has to offer. We come to see your Carlsbad Caverns, your White Sands, your Malpais, your national monuments, your beautiful mountains.

We come to see your people with their ancient civilization. We come to see your Indians with their unique arts and crafts. We come to steep ourselves in the history of early America.

We come to New Mexico with the vacation spirit. We come to spend our money freely and enjoy ourselves. We come from every state in the union and from many foreign countries. We are the tourists.

At home we are used to many facilities. When we come to the Great Southwest we are prepared to "rough it" a little according to our lights, but there are some things upon which we insist—which we intend to have.

The most important item we demand is cleanliness. We want cleanliness everywhere we go.

When we patronize a restaurant we want all of these things and yet more. We also want sterilized dishes and silver. We want clean kitchens. We want clean service, clean cloths, clean food. Last but not least, we don't want to have any flies wandering around on our food. We know the dangers carried by flies and we will not tolerate them.

Camp grounds and other places must meet our standards or we will not patronize such places. Meeting our standards therefore is good business because no standards—no business. We are the tourists.

COUNTY 4-H COUNCIL TO MEET SATURDAY

A meeting of the Eddy County 4-H Club County Council has been called for 7 o'clock Saturday evening in the sample room of the Crawford Hotel, Carlsbad.

A special program has been arranged and Bob Hatch, state 4-H Club specialist, will be present. All 4-H Club members have been asked to attend.

Mrs. Wallace Gates left by train Tuesday morning for Denver, Colo., where she was met by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Russell. Mrs. Gates will visit with her home folks in Rawlins, Wyo., for the next two weeks.

The Grady and Glenn Booker families and the men's mother, Mrs. J. T. Booker of Ponca City, Okla., who is their house guest, are expecting as their guests over the week end C. D. Booker of Dublin, Tex., brother of Grady and Glenn; Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Sanders and their daughter, Mrs. Elgar Robinson, and Mr. Robinson, all of Childress, Tex. Mrs. Sanders and Mrs. J. T. Booker are sisters.

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western farmer to ensile a corn crop which is making a good yield of grain. Those who know its value by experience do not hesitate to put a forty-bushel corn crop in the silo, as Troy Fenner did last year. But Troy had been feeding silage and knew that forty bushels of grain in the silo is worth more than the same amount of dry grain.

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NEW MEXICO

News Briefs of the "Sunshine State." Gleaned from Many Sources

Presidential approval of nine New Mexico WPA projects was announced by the state's congressional delegation last week. The action now leaves execution of the projects up to the discretion of the state administration. They are: Construction work on the Antelope Valley irrigation district, \$41,415; construct sanitary sewers in Springer, \$6,290; construct gymnasium and auditorium at Sofia, \$5,916; extend Tucumcari water distribution system, \$39,168; construct Magdalena ranger station, \$8,528; develop wildlife refuges (state-wide), \$13,428; improve roads in Torreon Canyon, \$28,122; construct road between Taos and Arroyo Hondo, \$63,353; improve state road No. 39 in Harding County, \$4,481.

The Bureau of Agricultural Economics crop reporting board, using farmers' reports as a basis, predicted an increase in acreages of most crops planted in New Mexico in 1939 as compared with 1938. The indicated planting of all corn, the board said, was 231,000 acres, against 224,000 in 1938 and a 10-year average of 234,000. Spring wheat planting, estimated at 25,000 acres for 1939, was down 10 per cent from last year's 28,000. Other indicated acreages for 1939 crops, last year's acreages and the 10-year averages: Oats, 31,000, 31,000, 28,000; barley 9,000, 8,000, 8,000; tame hay 140,000, 136,000, 133,000; all grain sorghums 401,000, 422,000, 357,000; beans 195,000, 189,000, 190,000; potatoes 7,000, 7,000, 6,100.

Governor Miles said last week he had asked department heads to "discourage interdepartmental visiting" in the halls and offices of the statehouse. "Working hours at the capitol are not so long or the work so arduous that there should be any need for a recess for visiting every couple of hours," he said. "If there isn't enough work to keep employees busy, then there must be too many employees."

R. H. Rutledge, new chief of the Federal Division of Grazing, planned a series of trips around New Mexico's grazing area during the next few days.

The New Mexico Cattle Sanitary Board announced that 728,068 head of cattle were shipped from New Mexico during 1938, bringing into the state approximately \$17,000,000. The figure was more than half of the estimated cash income from the state's total livestock industry last year. Left on New Mexico ranges Jan. 1 were about 1,500,000 cattle, including Indian-owned stock, the board reported.

Mrs. Albino Dimas of Madrid and her 24-hour-old daughter were reported "doing nicely" at an Albuquerque hospital, where the baby would have been born except for the stork's faulty timing. The baby was born instead on a Santa Fe train between Cerrillos and Al-

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REHEARSALS CALLED OFF

There will be no band and twirling corps rehearsals Saturday, as E. L. Harp, director, and Mrs. Harp will attend the band contest at Las Cruces Friday and Saturday.

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Planting Livestock Profits

By T. C. RICHARDSON, Secretary
Breeder-Feeder Association

Improved permanent pastures are of course the key to permanent success in livestock. More than is generally realized this is just as true of hogs and poultry (including turkeys) as it is of dairy cattle, sheep or beef cattle. Anything that can be done this spring, therefore, which will make the permanent pasture better either next summer or a year from now is a step in the right direction. There is still time to sow lespedeza, sod bermuda grass, and run contour furrows to hold the rainfall on the pastures.

Temporary pastures, such as sudan grass, are equally important. The permanent pasture sometimes runs short in the summer drought and it always needs an occasional rest so that the grass and clovers can mature seed, fill in the sparse spots, and maintain such a dense sod that weeds are held down. An over-grazed pasture usually soon becomes a weedy pasture, and the mower must be brought into play to control them.

Not only to help improve the permanent pasture, but of more immediate moment, is the need of temporary summer pastures to keep an ample supply of green grazing for all the livestock and poultry on the farm. A comparatively small acreage in sudan will keep the milk flow up when the permanent pasture is short or dry, it will keep the hens and turkeys healthy, it will supply an essential vitamin to all manner of animal life.

A good many successful farmers plant cowpeas or soy beans in the corn and turn livestock in to do the harvesting. In the western portions of Texas and Oklahoma the best practice is to plant the corn or grain sorghums "two rows and skip one" with the beans or peas planted in the vacant row. Farther east there is usually enough summer rainfall to support both crops in the same row, but on thin land alternate rows of corn and peas or soy beans is more generally the practice. The point is to use some legume crop, according to its best adaptation, because legumes are needed in a good ration, and they add to the productive value of the carbonaceous feeds, either grain or forage.

There remains the one sure-shot, twelve-month source of succulent feed—the silo. Of all the "pastures," the permanent or temporary, it is the only one which neither drouth nor waterspout, fire nor flood, heat nor cold, affects. It can be used any day in the year when needed, or it can be left indefinitely without deterioration. Many thousands of farmers in the Southwest have already proven the trench silo as a cheap and efficient method of storing feed as an insurance against shortages. Many more thousands will this spring plant for the silo, and those who do not will go on taking the risks of weather and fire.

What shall we plant? Whatever will grow best on your farm! Grain or sweet sorghums usually make the heavier yields in the Southwest, and where they "head out" well are equally as good, ton for ton, as corn. Corn and soy beans make an ideal silage, but it takes good land and ample rainfall to produce a good crop where they are drilled together in a row. A good many farmers like popcorn as a silage crop, planted thickly. Plant whatever you think best on your farm, but plant silage of some sort!

It is pretty hard for a Southwestern farmer to ensile a corn crop which is making a good yield of grain. Those who know its value by experience do not hesitate to put a forty-bushel corn crop in the silo, as Troy Fenner did last year. But Troy had been feeding silage and knew that forty bushels of grain in the silo is worth more than the same amount of dry grain.

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WORLD NEWS —In— BRIEF FORM

From Near and Far, Some
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Human Interest

Physicians revealed that more than 40 pneumonia cases have been treated at Fort Worth successfully with sulfa-pyridine, a new "miracle" drug credited with amazing qualities. The new drug was released for use there March 10, during a mild influenza and pneumonia epidemic, although it had been shipped to Fort Worth a month earlier. Doctors who had used the drug reported amazing results, such as the reduction of temperatures of 102 to 105 degrees to almost normal in 24 hours. No fatalities were recorded, although the doctors warned they considered use of the drug still in the experimental stage.

Clam chowder would be protected under a bill in the state legislature to make it a misdemeanor to put a tomato into a clam chowder in Maine. Mainites say Manhattan chowder is "stew" or vegetable soup.

Detective Otto Schull of Philadelphia, Pa., can't tell whether thieves who looted his car left any fingerprints. They stole his fingerprinting equipment.

Leather boots, shoes and slippers manufactured last year in the United States equaled three pairs per capita of population.

Besides linguists familiar with all foreign languages, the staff of guides and guards at the Golden Gate Exposition includes an interpreter to assist deaf mutes who visit Treasure Island. Alvin Richard Brother, 26, deaf, and a graduate of Gallaudet College in Washington, D. C., is available from now on to conduct those unable to hear or speak on fair tours. An experienced lip reader, familiar with both sign language and finger spelling, Brother will fill a definite need.

It's taken years but Arza B. Fogle of Williamstown, Kan., thinks he finally has a list of words that will defy any speller. Frequently, says Fogle, a word is a long one but it is simple to spell because it is spelled the way it sounds. "Take," he said, "cholecholethomy. That is just a beginner's practice word." Here's Fogle's list: "Shillelagh, marijuana, misogynist, piebald, plagues, facilely, villify, mnemonic, pinochle, yttrocete, caoutchouc, phthiriasis and embonpoint."

Mrs. Mary Hill of Oklahoma City has exhausted her patience. She decided 28 years was too long to wait for her husband to come back. She filed suit for divorce from Herbert Hill, alleging he deserted her in 1911 and she hasn't heard from him since.

Nobody seems to care much about the coming city election at Ottawa, Kan. No candidates except the incumbents have qualified for the primaries, and not a single voter has registered.

There are two buttons in the Bowling Green, Ohio, police cruisers. One starts the motor, the other the siren. When Patrolman Frank Rogers heard the siren wailing on a supposedly unoccupied cruiser, he said, he found 19-year-old James Brennan of Zanesville leaving hurriedly. Brennan was held to the grand jury under \$800 bond on a charge of attempted car theft.

In The WEEK'S NEWS

BLOOMS IN TROPICS

Brunette Rose Marie Magrill has been named Miss Florida of 1939 over contest field of more than 200 entrants representing almost every city in peninsular state. The Miami beauty, a dancer, is 17, tips the scales at 120 pounds and stands here 5 feet 6 1/2 inches.



(Miami News Service)

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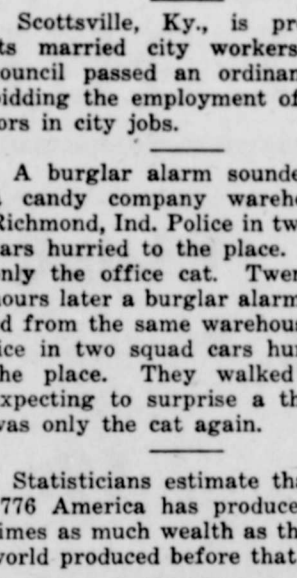
Jim Handy, veteran circus stunt man, demonstrated flexibility of new high-test safety plate glass, preceding conclave of scientific and industrial leaders to be held at Franklin Institute at Philadelphia to honor this development in cause of auto safety.



(Associated Press)

KNIGHT "HOOD" IN FLOWER

Chain armor suits, worn by knights of old, provided inspiration for creation of this hand-knitted evening dress in steel thread with attached hood which Parisian designers are calling "the very latest."



(Associated Press)

CHIP OFF OLD IMMORTAL

Dick Sisler, son of famed American League first baseman, George Sisler, appears to be following in dad's footsteps as he struggles for recognition at St. Louis Cardinals' spring training camp in Florida. Young Sisler is over six feet tall, weighs more than 200 pounds and is 19 years old.



(Associated Press)

POWER FOR 500,000 FARMS

REA's disclosure of plans to provide, by June 30, for electrifying half million more farms was hailed as boon to industries anticipating vast material orders. Typical are Arkansas bauxite mines (such as that shown here), source of ore for aluminum REA cable, 115,000 miles of which have been installed on REA lines.



(Associated Press)

Responding to a knock at the door

William T. Doyle, of Louisville, Ky., 64, thought he saw a ghost when he admitted his brother, Robert P. Doyle, 61. "I came back to see if you were dead," said Robert Doyle. The two brothers, each believing the other dead; had not met for 39 years.

Scottsville, Ky., is protecting its married city workers

City council passed an ordinance forbidding the employment of bachelors in city jobs.

A burglar alarm sounded from a candy company warehouse in Richmond, Ind.

Police in two squad cars hurried to the place. It was only the office cat. Twenty-four hours later a burglar alarm sounded from the same warehouse. Police in two squad cars hurried to the place. They walked inside, expecting to surprise a thief. It was only the cat again.

Statisticians estimate that since 1776 America has produced three times as much wealth as the whole world produced before that date.

Lake City, Tenn., is Lake City to Tennessee but it's Coal Greed to Uncle Sam and thereby hangs confusion. The legislature changed the name but Uncle Sam wasn't

told, so H. W. Booth, postmaster at nearby Knoxville, said he couldn't handle any mail addressed to Lake City because there was no such town. Folks there were irked, said the postmaster knew "durn well there was such a town" and "was just being ornery." Booth explained: "It is still Coal Creek in the U. S. postal guide."

Meeting of two sets of quadruplets for the first time in known history and the get-together of more than 75 sets of twins from 20 Texas colleges and universities

were items that made history of the "Texas College Twin Convention," holding its initial session on the Baylor University campus at Waco last week. Mona, Roberta, Mary and Leota Keys of Oklahoma City, quads who graduated from Baylor in 1937, were serenaded by band accordianists Anthony, Bernard, Carl and Donald Perricone of Beaumont.

Steve Payne of the United States Biological Survey reported he killed 185 rattlesnakes recently in Kent County, Tex.

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One game was a sort of "follow the leader," in which they

balanced on rocks or hummocks, and hopped from one to another. Even down a cliff-side—leaps that would surely have killed any child, big or little, that tried them. Finally, all would return, that is, all in that particular flock of maybe 200 or so, to the starting point, and a new leader having been chosen, the performance would begin all over again. Sometimes two or more flocks would join together, and what a wild time they had!

But the funniest part was when a big automobile was parked near a flock of them and the passengers

went into the woods. In less than five minutes the kids were sliding down its fenders, then "following the leader" again over the hood, under the car, then over its top, all, seemingly, with but little effort. The driver had carelessly left a door open and when he got back to the car, several kids were

asleep in the seats. Others that had become tired were peacefully resting on the top of the car. The remainder were playing "ring-around-rosy" or a similar game, circling the car in opposite directions. Yes, these Western Texas kids do originate games and play them gleefully.

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Oil Activity—

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showing considerable gas. C. S. Powell, Smith 1, NE sec. 6-17-29. Drilling at 2,800 feet. Yates, Travis 1, SE sec. 6-18-29. Total depth 2,590 feet; preparing to shoot; estimated from 50 to 100 barrels per day, natural. George Quillin and Underwood & Sanders, Amy Bruce 1, SE sec. 4-19-31. Drilling at 3,640 feet. George Quillin and Carper Drilling Co., Quillin 1, NE sec. 12-19-31. Total depth 2,765 feet; shut down for orders. Martin Yates, Sanders 1, NE section 12-18-29, in new sand area. Drilling at 630 feet. H. W. Martin, Gates 1, SW section 15-18-30. Building roads. Chaves County. Nay Hightower, Billingslea 1, NE sec. 28-11-30. Drilling at 3,265 feet. New, Russell & Wood, Sterrepp 1, NW sec. 29-11-25. Shut down for repairs at 250 feet. Tarkenton, Peters 1, SE sec. 33-11-25.

Running surface pipe to 399 feet. Mac T. Anderson, Warnock 1, SE 17-15-27. Fishing for tools at 500 feet. Lea County.

E. C. Adams and English & Harmon, Ashworth 1, SE sec. 18-19-32, southeast extension to Shugart area.

Drilling at 3,035 feet, with hole full of water from 2,925 feet. Fullerton, Walker 1, NW sec. 18-18-32, Maljamar area. Total depth 4,225 feet; fishing for tools.

Fred Turner, State 1, SW sec. 30-7-35.

Total depth 2,210 feet, with 10-inch casing standing cemented. Carper, Simon 1, NE sec. 29-17-32.

Drilling at 760 feet. Carper, Taylor 1, SW sec. 30-16-32.

Total depth 3,605 feet; 7-inch casing standing cemented. Roosevelt County.

Shell, Hardwood 1, SE sec. 27-7-35.

Drilling at 7,507 feet.

Cottonwood Items (Ora Buck)

M. S. Brown of Lake Arthur was a visitor in Artesia Saturday. J. R. Cline was a business visitor in Roswell Monday.

Bus Essex of Upper Cottonwood has recently bought three lots in Artesia.

Victor Parker was a business visitor in Carlsbad Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ingram were shopping in Roswell Wednesday of last week.

The road grader was in the community a few days last week, grading the roads after the rain.

Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Worley had a little repair work done on their house last week.

Mrs. Wayne Norris was taken to a hospital in Carlsbad March 22 and has been very ill.

Little Joyce Essex, who fell from the top of a slide several days ago at the school and was injured, is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Vertis Crutchfield of this community announce the arrival of a daughter, born to them last week.

H. A. Simmons and daughters of Lake Arthur were shopping and attending to business in Artesia Saturday.

Pauline Vandagriff spent the week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Vandagriff of Artesia.

A marriage license was issued at Carlsbad last week to Miss Annie Pool and John Nihart, both of Lake Arthur.

Mrs. Thompson and Mrs. Clarence Pearson and Mrs. Oscar Pearson were shopping in Roswell Friday.

The regular meeting of the Cottonwood Woman's Club will be held at the gym April 6, with Mrs. Jack Hall as hostess.

Several members of the Cottonwood Woman's Club attended the county council held at Carlsbad Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Miller of California accompanied Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clayton of this community to the Carlsbad Caverns Sunday.

Billie Cline and Roy Buck made a business trip to the mountains Wednesday of last week. They reported good rains and prospects of good crops.

Mrs. Johnnie Norris and daughter, Johnnie May, of Hagerman, visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. J. L. Taylor, and Mr. Taylor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Buck and son motored to Hope Sunday, where they were dinner guests of her brother, Lee Payne, and Mrs. Payne.

Miss Mary Johnson, who underwent an appendectomy at the St. Mary Hospital at Roswell March 19 was able to be brought home last Friday and is doing fine.

Miss Leora Worley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Worley of Cottonwood became the bride of Carrol Ansley of Artesia last week.

An educational program meeting was held at Lake Arthur Monday afternoon for the purpose of explaining the operation of the 1939 agricultural conservation program and discussing the amendments and changes that have been made in the law since it was put in operation last season.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schrier and little daughter, Darline, of Mayhill visited the week end with his mother, Mrs. Mamie Schrier, and his sister, Mrs. Will Santo and family of Artesia and with Mrs. Schrier's sister, Mrs. Charles Buck and family of Cottonwood.

Several farmers of this community went to Roswell Monday to a final hearing on pumping water from shallow wells drilled without permits from the State Engineer's office.

The Cottonwood Woman's Club will present a play at the Cottonwood gym Friday, March 31 at 7:30 p. m. The play is a comedy in three acts entitled "Plain Jane." The characters are: Jenny, the maid, Lorene Johnson; Parsons, the butler, Fride Smith; Ellen, the cook, Exa Clayton; Valerie Van Duyke, secretary, Mae Hall; Aunt Emma Marsden, who holds the purse strings, Mrs. Jess Funk; Brant Coleman, heir No. 1, Gene Chambers; Clayton Coleman, race track hanger-on, Noah Buck; Howard Marsden, heir No. 2, Ulas Golden; Mrs. Beatrice Marsden, Howard's mother, Alice Brooke; Ralph Marsden, heir No. 3, Lamar Johnson; Jane Judkins, Aunt Emma's niece, Georgia Crawford; Mamie, Jones' pet rattlesnake. There will be special music between acts by Mrs. F. R. Zumwalt's music class. Admission will be charged. Everyone invited to see "Plain Jane"—and is she plain! Come any enjoy the evening.

Loren E. Neeley, who suffered an attack of pneumonia in December, had a slight relapse Monday and was moved from his room at the Legion hut to the Artesia Hotel, where he now is improving nicely.

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matched dollar for dollar, the speaker said. And many are taken care of in Carrie Tingley Hospital.

Mrs. Allison said the department, in the case of the underprivileged child, has supervision of adoption cases, mothers, crippled children, unmarried mothers and their children. Whenever possible, she said, the department makes plans to keep a family together.

The speaker was accompanied to the Rotary meeting by Mrs. Anne Kinder, Artesia school nurse, who was also a guest of the club.

Bill Bowden, manager of the Safeway Store, the five-minute speaker for this week, spoke on "Knowing Your Goods." In his talk he explained that today the housewife wants to know what is in a can or package and the clerk should be able to explain to her the difference between sizes and types of products. "Knowledge is power, and we have it in the grocery store, the same as anywhere else," he concluded.

Once again the Rotary Club has hit a new high in membership. W. Leslie Martin, president, announced, in introducing the newest

member, G. R. Brainard, the forty-third. His classification is that of farmer, Mr. Martin, formerly holding that classification having been reclassified as a sheep man.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

A revival is now in progress at the Assembly of God Church, 402 West Chisholm Street, conducted by the Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Franks of Shamrock, Tex. This revival was announced to begin three weeks ago, but was postponed because of the flu epidemic.

The Rev. and Mrs. Franks come to us after conducting a number of successful evangelistic campaigns in Texas, Oklahoma and

New Mexico. They served as pastors of the local church in 1934, resigning to enter evangelistic work.

You will enjoy the simple gospel messages and good singing, so we invite you to attend these services, which will continue through this week only.

Services begin at 7:30 o'clock each evening. Children's services begin at 7 o'clock.

Rev. Orel Boteler, Pastor

Mrs. Herman Green underwent a major operation in a Carlsbad hospital Tuesday morning. Her condition is reported as satisfactory at this time.

Miss Elaine Feemster and Mmes. Bryan Shoemaker, J. O. Wood, Harvey Yates, Herman Mitchell and W. L. Vandever visited in El Paso Friday and Saturday. Miss Feemster had the pleasure of a visit with her uncle, A. H. Fuller, a family while in the city.

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Center Cuts PORK CHOPS lb. 23c	Harvest Inn—No. 2 can SUGAR CORN 3 for 22c
Sliced—Cheap and Good BACON lb. 20c	Campbell's TOMATO JUICE .14 oz. 5c
Beef RIBS 2 lbs. 25c	No. 2 can SPINACH 2 for 15c
Valley Brook OLEOMARGARINE lb. 13c	White Swan—No. 2 1/2 cans HOMINY 3 for 25c
Part Cream CHEESE lb. 15c	Libby's 12 oz. can PINEAPPLE JUICE 2 for 15c
Tender Juicy Beef ROAST 19c lb.	Swansdown—Reg. size box CAKE FLOUR 25c
Bacon Squares Not Sliced 18c lb.	Bulk Powdered SUGAR ... 3 lb. cello bag 19c
	Texo—Gal. can PEACHES 31c
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